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IMPROVEMENT is the order of the day with the NEW MEXICAN. The paper puts on a brand new dress today and is a daisy from every standpoint.

A NEW supreme bench means much for the proper administration of justice in this territory, and a new supreme bench is now in the course of construction.

AMONG the names mentioned for appointment to the position of clerk of the Third Judicial district court upon Judge Parker's confirmation are those of Harry H. Miles and H. B. Holt, of Las Cruces, and J. A. Anicheta and R. P. Barnes, of Silver City. No lack of candidates to be sure and a good list to choose from.

MR. RICHARD CROKER has assumed charge of Greater New York and Tammany is in the saddle. The Croker administration will be honest in one respect. The people of New York may be certain that the \$80,000,000 of expenditures per year will go to Tammany men and Tammany doesn't care a rap, who knows it.

If the emperor of Korea does not keep indoors this winter, some of the European powers, now having fleets in Chinese waters, will steal him and his empire and his title will not protect him. A marked copy of this issue of the NEW MEXICAN will be sent to the emperor aforesaid and he had best take due notice.

If the people of this city and valley will lend a helping hand, the erection of a beet sugar factory in or near Santa Fe will be an accomplished fact within the next 18 months. If they go along as they have been doing showing no public spirit and caring to do nothing to improve the local conditions and prospects, why, of course, no beet sugar factory and no other improvements will be had.

It is reported that Judge McFie will, when he takes his seat on the bench in the District court at Santa Fe, appoint A. M. Bergere, of Valencia county, as clerk of the court. The people in Santa Fe are wondering where they would be if home rule had not been observed and a man from the states had been appointed judge of the First district—Lordsburg Liberal.

The NEW MEXICAN is for home rule in these appointments and the First district, if it has a candidate, should be duly recognized.

THE initial number of the Corrillos Register, which succeeds to the business and good will of the Rustler, appeared upon the NEW MEXICAN's exchange table on New Year's morning. It is published by W. A. DeBusk and Wallace Walker, is a neat five-column quarto and is well filled with carefully prepared matter, chiefly of a local nature. Success to the Register and its enterprising publishers.

GOVERNOR OTERO possesses the confidence and the esteem of President McKinley and will act in the future, as he has since he has become governor, in such a manner as to fully deserve such esteem and confidence. If the New Mexico federal officials and politicians will paste this into their hats and read it once in a while, they will serve their own best interests and those of the Republican party. A word to the wise is sufficient.

THE matter of the appointment of U. S. attorney for New Mexico in place of W. B. Childers, Esq., is under consideration by the administration in Washington, but it is not probable that any very speedy action will be had in the case. The candidates for the position are numerous and their claims are being actively pushed by their friends and supporters, but, nevertheless, it is the opinion of this journal, that no immediate action will be had.

A FELLOW by the name of Small, who has spent five months in Europe and who is head professor of sociology at the University of Chicago, has returned home and informs the people of this country with a gracious nod, that "the United States is the laughing stock of Europe." A dollar to a doughnut, Mr. Small heard no one laughing at the United States in Europe. But then a professor of sociology at the University of Chicago may be forgiven for being all sorts of a fool.

It is claimed by some of the Democratic politicians and by some other nine by four statesmen, that a strong light will be made on the confirmation of Messrs. John R. McFie and Frank W. Parker to be associate justices of the Territorial Supreme court. A fight may be made; that is in the very nature of things, but as for its being a strong light or a successful fight, that is another matter entirely. Indeed it is well known to those best informed that it cannot be successful. These two appointees will be confirmed with all due speed by the senate of the United States; Messrs. McFie and Parker will receive their commissions and will enter upon their duties, for so it is written and so it shall be.

THE Republicans of New Mexico have plenty of good timber for congressional delegate next year. With such men as Governor Otero, Pedro Perea, Sol Luna, T. D. Burns, T. A. Finical, Hugh Price, and hundreds of others to select from, the Republicans will have no trouble in picking out a winner.—Albuquerque Citizen.

The above is all right. In this connection, however, it is just as well to state, that Governor Otero is in no sense a candidate for this nomination and would not accept it, if tendered him. It is well to know these things in advance and the NEW MEXICAN is authorized to make the statement as above. The governor's ambition is to fulfill the duties of the executive of this territory in a satisfactory and acceptable manner and to be worthy of the high trust reposed in him by President McKinley.

Missouri Experimental Results.

The sugar beet industry has attracted much attention in this country for some time back, experiments in culture in different states have been quietly made, and the impression has prevailed that the beets could be grown almost anywhere in the United States profitably. More recent developments do not bear out this supposition.

Since 1890 the Missouri experiment station located at Columbia has been making experiments with the view of ascertaining the percentage of sugar contained in sugar beets, raised in Missouri. Last week the experts in charge of the work at the station gave out the results of their investigations, which demonstrate that it would not be profitable for the farmers in Missouri to raise beets for sugar purposes.

No doubt there are other states which now imagine that beets of a sufficient percentage in sugar to make their culture profitable can be raised within their borders will reach the same conclusion after making careful experiments.

An article that appeared in the Scientific American some few weeks ago, clearly outlined a condition of soil and climate in a majority of the states, as to their adaptability to sugar beet growing, as shown by the report from Missouri, which called forth much criticism of the writer's knowledge of real conditions. Judging, however, from the experiments made at Columbia, the author of the article knew whereof he wrote.

Should it prove that the area of country adapted to the culture of sugar beets is much smaller than was first thought, the attention of the sugar makers will at once turn to the southwest country as the supply point for sugar, and every acre of land in New Mexico that can be placed under water will become immensely valuable, and sugar factories will be erected in a dozen places. The richness of the beets grown in this territory has been demonstrated during the past year, while the success of the factory at Eddy removes all question of the profitability of the manufacture of sugar in New Mexico. The towns that engage in the enterprise first will reap the most substantial benefits, and Santa Fe should take immediate steps to secure her share of the prosperity which will surely follow the erection of a factory.

The New Mexican is a Power.

The Mining and Industrial Reporter of Denver pays the following highly appreciated editorial compliment to the pioneer daily newspaper of New Mexico: "The NEW MEXICAN, of Santa Fe, is one of the brightest papers that comes to our exchange table. It is a power in the development of New Mexico. With the careless grace of Castle it rolls up the bits of news and blows choice whiffs of information to all parts of the horizon. We raise our sombrero in salutation to you, senior, and assure you and your people that in the building up of the infant but grand territory of New Mexico, you have an enthusiastic helper in the Mining and Industrial Reporter, of Denver."

Thin in flesh? Perhaps it's natural.

If perfectly well, this is probably the case.

But many are suffering from frequent colds, nervous debility, pallor, and a hundred aches and pains, simply because they are not fleshy enough.

Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil with Hypophosphites strengthens the digestion, gives new force to the nerves, and makes rich, red blood. It is a food in itself.

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New Mexico in the Procession.

The Liberal is in receipt of Governor Otero's annual report to the secretary of the interior, a volume of 164 pages, well illustrated and supplied with a map of the territory. While there is nothing startling in the way of news in the report, it is a very comprehensive affair, and a person reading it would get a very accurate idea of things in New Mexico. It contains the copies of the reports of various other officials regarding matters and things in the territory, thus bringing them all together, where a person hunting for information is able to easily find what he wants. It is easy to see from the report that the people of New Mexico are right up in the procession.—Lordsburg Liberal.

Will Silence Abuse of New Mexico.

The report of the governor of New Mexico to the secretary of the interior, for 1897, was received at this office Monday. It contains 164 pages, is neatly printed and filled with splendid cuts and illustrations of the principal public buildings, educational and benevolent institutions of the territory, business blocks of our towns, exhibits of crops and agricultural products of different sections, ranches and irrigation reservoirs, an excellent map of the territory, showing water supply and mineral resources, also charts and diagrams of coal deposits showing depth of veins, mines, strata, intervals and thickness, etc. Much time and labor have been expended in its preparation and, besides being a credit to its author, it will tend to silence the abuses of a few cross-road scribblers who have for years past considered themselves licensed to abuse New Mexico and her people.—White Oaks Eagle.

A Good and Comprehensive Report.

The Range is in receipt of a copy of Governor Otero's annual report. It is a good and comprehensive statement of the resources and advancement of New Mexico and ought to be in the hands of those who are skeptical as to the outcome of this promising commonwealth. The report is profusely illustrated and gives a reliable history of all material points pertaining to the territory.—Raton Range.

A Reference Book of Great Utility.

The Enterprise appreciatively acknowledges the receipt of a copy of the governor's report to the secretary of the interior. It is replete with valuable statistics and information as to the resources of the territory and their development. The book contains 164 pages, filled with useful information as well as many excellent cuts, maps and diagrams. It will be of great utility as a book of reference on the resources of the territory.—Silver City Enterprise.

In a Lighter Vein.

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Know What It Was.

"Every man has his vice," said Tenspot to Tenthook, who was fond of offering unsought counsel to his acquaintances.

"What is my vice, pray?" asked Tenthook.

"Advice," replied Tenspot unhesitatingly.—Detroit Free Press.

A Bitter Opponent.

"Your Aunt Mary is bitterly opposed to slang, isn't she?"

"I should say so. She has even taken here lately to calling her knitting 'knitting,' to keep from using anything approaching slang."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

What Small Blond Men Suffer.

"Julia said something very complimentary about you."

"What was it?"

"She said you'd look too sweet for anything in a blue tea gown and pink slippers."—Chicago Record.

Mutual Indignation.

He (indignantly)—Your father said that I was as homely as your puppy.

She (also indignantly)—Why, how can father say that! My puppy is anything but homely.—New York Journal.

They Improve With Age.

Bass expresses a preference for boy babies. They are so cunning, he says. Still he is willing to admit that girl babies are "so bad"—after they get to be 18 or 20 years old.—Boston Transcript.

The Biker Biked.

Henpeck'd he was; he learned to bike. "Now I can go just where I like."

He chuckled to himself. But she had learned to bike as well as he. And, what was more, had bought a new machine to sweeten carry two.

Ever together now they were. "This is wheel and woe."—Punch.

Woman's Aim.

She—I'm not a bit surprised at that marriage. They say she fairly threw herself at him.

He—In that case it seems hardly credible that he should be struck with her.—Detroit News.

Too Personal.

"What a singular nose the new boarder, Miss Perkins, has!"

"Yes, she looks so much like a parrot that I didn't dare to pass her the crackers."—Chicago Record.

Always the Way.

Mrs. Prye—Tell me, dear, do you ever quarrel with your husband?

Mrs. Lamb—Never. But he often quarrels with me, the hateful thing!—Boston Transcript.

Cabbage Heart.

She—The potato bugs destroy the potatoes, I know, but what is it destroys the cabbages?

He—The smokers, I guess.—Youkers Statesman.

Her Advantage.

"Your daughter has an angelic disposition."

"Yes, we always let her have her own way about everything."—Chicago Record.

Ever Unmistaken.

As time sweeps on its cruel way, It brings us naught but sorrow.

The best we do today will look Like thirty cents tomorrow.

—New York Journal.



Photographer's Taut—'Ave yer photograph took, my lord?'

Wag—No, we're too ugly.

Photographer's Taut—Many a true word spoke in jest, mates.—Sketch.

Where Nights Are Six Months Long.



First Eskimo—What time of night is it, Bill?

Second Eskimo—About three weeks.

—New York Journal.

Bicycle Term.



"A CHAINLESS SAFETY."

—New York Sunday World.

Family Records.



Indignant Parent—You are a very naughty boy, Tommy, telling a fib like that!

I never told fibs when I was a little boy.

Impenitent Son—When did you begin, then, father?—Punch.

The Time For Action.

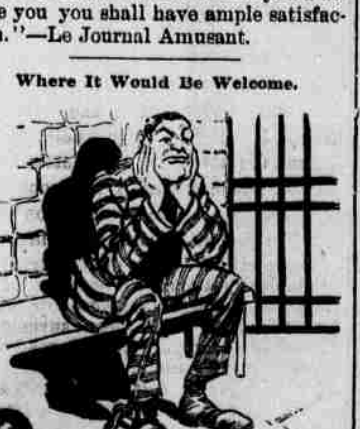


"M. le commissaire, my husband is crazy. He threatens to kill me. He should be confined."

"Nothing can be done as yet, madame, but if he should chance to kill you I assure you you shall have ample satisfaction."

—Le Journal Amant.

Where It Would Be Welcome.



"Yes, I wish dat chainless craze 'ud strike dis establishment!"

—New York Journal.

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